Hello. I am apposed to recent efforts to relax the current FCC rules to limit the number of radio and television stations a single company can own in a given market. PLEASE DO NOT CONSIDER proposals that will allow large media companies an oligopoly or monopoly on local media in any broadcast area. Diversity in media is essential to communities and will help ensure that important information is distributed fairly, accurately, and honestly. The current rules to restrict the number of broadcast media outlets owned by a single company were developed wisely with the best interests of communities in mind. The rules are fair and essential. Ideas to relax these rules are in the best interests of the media companies bank accounts and the FCC has a obligation to protect America's communities. Please do not allow rules that will relax the limit on the number of broadcast outlets owned by one company in a given broadcast area.

Thank you.

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